Fish," subheading "Fur Bearers," extending the open season for hunting muskrat during 1963 in Dorchester, Wicomico, CARO-LINE, TALBOT, WORCESTER and Somerset Counties.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 175(a) of Article 66C of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "Natural Resources," subtitle "Birds, Game and Inland Water Fish," subheading "Fur Bearers," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

175.

- (a) No person may hunt any mink, muskrat or otter or have the meat or pelt of any mink, muskrat or otter in his possession whether same are trapped, caught, or killed within the State of Maryland or any other state, territory, or country, except between January 1 and March 15, inclusive, provided, however, that any person may have green mink, muskrat or otter skins in his possession until March 25 for purposes of curing such skins. Provided, however, that in Frederick, Garrett, Allegany, Montgomery, Carroll, Howard and Washington counties, mink and muskrats may be hunted and caught between December 15 of any year and March 1, of the year following, inclusive, and in such counties any person may have green mink and muskrat skins in his possession until March 10 for purposes of curing such skins. Providing, however, in the year 1963 only, that muskrat may be hunted and caught in Dorchester, Wicomico, CAROLINE, TALBOT, WORCESTER and Somerset Counties up to and including March 23, and persons in these counties may have muskrat skins in their possession until April 2 for the purposes of curing such skins in 1963 only.
- SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and being passed by a yea and nay vote supported by three-fifths of all the members elected to each of the two houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved March 14, 1963.

## CHAPTER 141

(Senate Bill 593)

AN ACT to add a new Section 108A to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Talbot County", sub-title "County Treasurer", to follow immediately after Section 108 thereof, authorizing the County Commissioners of Talbot County to appoint a Deputy Treasurer and make general provision for the appointment, powers, duties, functions and compensation of a Deputy Treasurer for Talbot County.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a new Section 108A be and it is hereby added to Article 21 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title